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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Docket No: Q65478

Tatsuo KAKIMOTO, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/918,508

Group Art Unit: 1647

Confirmation No.: 3296

Examiner: Betty L Lee

Filed: August 01, 2001

For: ANALYSIS OF AGONIST-ACTIVITY AND ANTAGONIST-ACTIVITY TO  
CYTOKININ RECEPTOR

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
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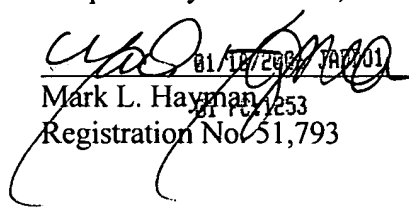
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 14, 2005 to January 17, 2006 (January 14<sup>th</sup> being a Saturday, and Monday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, being a federal holiday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$1020.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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